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LCT-LINCOLN COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Lincoln County was created by an act of Legislature in 1809

"An act to establish a county south of Bedford, to be known by the name of Lincoln."

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Tennessee, That Lincoln County shall be laid off and established within the following bounds, to wit: Beginning on the northeast corner of Giles County and extending south with the eastern boundary line of Giles County to the southern boundary line of the State; thence with that line east to a point due south of the mouth of Cove Spring Creek; thence north to the southern boundary line of Bedford County; and thence with the said line, westwardly, to the beginning.

Section 2. Be it enacted, That John Whitaker Sr., Wright Williams, Eli Garret, Littleton Duty and Jesse Woodruff be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners with full power to procure by purchase, or otherwise 100 acres of land on or near the north bank of Elk River, as near the center of the county, east and west, as a proper situat-

ion will admit of, and at all events not more than two mile from said center.

Section 3. Be it enacted, That the said commissioners, immediately after procuring the aforesaid 100 acres of land, shall cause a town to be laid off thereon, reserving near the center thereof a public square of two acres, on which the court house and stocks shall be built, likewise reserving a lot in any other portion of said town for the purpose of erecting a jail; and the said town, when so laid off, shall be named Fayetteville.

Section 6. Be it enacted, That the court of pleas and quarter sessions for the county of Lincoln shall be held on the fourth Monday in months of February, May, August and November annually, at the house of Brice M. Garner until a place is provided for holding the said court in the town of Fayetteville.

Section 14. Be it enacted That this act shall be in force from the first day of January in the year one thousand and eight hundred and ten.

REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS OF LCT

Pensioners listed in 1840 Census of LCT for Military Service

<u>Page</u>	<u>District</u>	<u>Name of Pensioner</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Head of Household</u>
5	1	Thomas Davis	81	Thomas Davis
11	2	John McNott	105	Charles McNott
15	3	Samuel Isaacs	82	Saml Isaacs
16	3	Josiah Brandon	80	Josiah Brandon
25	6	Thomas Armstrong	85	John Armstrong
27	6	Aaron D. Gage	82	Easter Westerman
28	6	William Pamplin	77	Henry Pamplin
31	7	William Shaw	82	William Shaw
45	10	William George	85	William George
48	11	W.C. Smith	82	Larkin Smith
48	11	Benjamin Rowe	82	Benj ^m Rowe
49	11	Philip Koonce	95	Philip Koonce
59	14	John Gibson	80	John Gibson
67	17	William Beard	80	Francis A. Beard
87	22	William Brown	70-80	Joshua B. Brown
92	23	John R. Vickers	91	John R. Vickers
93	23	Alexander Forbes	79	Alexander Forbes Sr.
94	23	Raphal Smith	77	Raphal Smith Sr.

Pension Records located in National Archives, Washington, D.C.

William C. Smith S 3924

Application made 18 April 1833 in LCT. He was born in Mecklenburg Co., Va. 4 March 1762. He volunteered in the latter part of May 1779 at Hillsboro, N.C. for 9 months under Capt. Lewis Bledsoe, Lt. Richard Frazier and Col. Joseph Mabane. He and four others were taken prisoner and made an escape in which the applicant was shot in the leg. He thinks his discharge was in Montgomery Co. He served 12 months while living in Wake Co., N.C.; 6 months again enlisting at Hillsboro; May 1781 he substituted for William Wellmouth for 3 months under Capt. Hinton; enlisted in Wilkes Co., Ga. in Spring of 1789 for 12 months, but only served 6 months. After the War he moved to Pendleton Dist., S.C. and about 16 years ago he moved to LCT where he now lives. Character Witnesses: Samuel M. Cowan, clergyman; William D. Thompson; Dura Minis.

Samuel Isaacs S5600

He was born 1759 Frederick Co., Va.; moved to 96th Dist., S.C. and enlisted there Sept. 1776; moved to Wilkes Co., N.C. enlisted again; moved Pendleton Dist. S.C. enlisted there. Lived Franklin Co. Ga. 1788-1807 at which time he moved to LCT. He stated that he served under his father Col. Isaacs. Moses Guest (b. Giffard Co., S.C. in 1766; met Isaacs in Wilkes Co., N.C. in 1783) testified for him 14 Oct. 1833 in Warren Co., Tenn.

Robert Stephens S45895

Applied from LCT 16 Oct. 1832: He stated that he was born 17 June 1756 in North Britain, Co. Murray, Scotland; emigrated to Va. 1774; family Bible was in his possession. In 1796 he moved to Nashville and to LCT in 1806.

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DEATHS OF LCT

Deaths taken from the Fayetteville Observer:

- 21 Jan. 1851-John Dusenberry aged 73 years 13 days died at Mulberry on Jan. 8, he was an early settler of this county from N.C. in 1811. He leaves a wife and a large family of children ...buried Old Mulberry Churchyard.
- 22 April 1851-Mr. Thomas W. Smith, formerly of this place was killed in Huntsville on last Monday...run over by a fire engine.
Died: Near Murfreesboro, Tenn. on Wed. 16th inst. John J. Hodge, formerly of the firm of John J. Hodge & Co. of this place.
- 20 May 1851-Died: In this county Sat. 10th inst. Mr. Perry Flynt aged about 70 years.
- 8 July 1851- Died: On Swan Creek in LCT Tues. 24th ult. Joel C. Pigg aged about 50 years.
Died: Near Boon's Hill Thurs. 3rd inst. Mr. Jeremiah Hedgepeth at an advanced age.
Died: In this county Tues. 1st inst. Miss Virginia Smith aged 16 years.
- 15 July 1851-Died: On 4th July 1851 Mrs. Elizabeth W. Nicks, consort of Col. A.T. Nicks and eldest daughter of Gen. William Moore. ...left four children and a husband...Cumberland Presbyterian...she was born 3 Jan. 1813.
- 5 August 1851-Died: On Thurs. 12th June 1851 in this county Mrs. Martha Alexander, consort of George, in her 45th year.
- 26 August 1851-Died: Maj. William White born in Virginia 4 Dec. 1764, and died in Gibson Co., Tenn. July 30, 1851. At the age of 16 he entered Washington's Army and fought at Yorktown....came to Tenn. about 45 years ago and settled near Nashville. Dr. W.W. McNeely of Fayetteville is descended from him....he left an aged wife.
Died: In this county Tues. 19th inst. Mrs. Margaret Campbell aged 72 years.
Died: In this county 21st Mr. Felix G. Gibson aged about 50 years.
Died: Sat. 23rd inst. Mrs. H. Solomon at an advanced age.
- 2 Sept. 1851-Died: Sat. Aug. 23rd Mrs. Harty Solomon, consort of late William Solomon, aged about 60 years.
- 16 Sept. 1851-Died: In this county on the 12th inst. Mrs. Sarah Miller, wife of William G. Miller of this county.
- 30 Sept. 1851-Died: In this county Fri. Sept. 12, Elizabeth Cordelia, wife of William Goodloe Miller and daughter of Francis and Alethia Saunders, aged 23 years...born near Hermitage in Davidson Co....left two children one aged seven and one aged three.
Died: Thurs. 25th inst. Benjamin W.D. Harding about 27 yrs.
Died: In Williamson Co., Thurs. 25th James Hogan Jr. formerly editor of Franklin Review....aged about 42 years.

- 28 Oct. 1851-Died: In this place on the 14th inst. Levin, youngest son of Col. L.T. and Nancy Gray.
Died: In Winchester Fri. 10th inst. Mrs. Jemima, wife of Dr. William Estill...in her 44th year.
- 14 Nov. 1851-Died: In Williamson Co., Tenn. on the 19th ult. Mary Drake, consort of Brother J.L. Drake, and daughter of Andrew and Sarah McCartney, dec'd. She was born in LCT 24 Nov. 1811 and lived there until her marriage on 10 Nov. 1831...Baptist...then Christian Church..left husband and six children.
Died: In Nashville Mon. 27th ult., Miss Septima S.M., daughter of Francis B. Fogg, Esq.
In Giles County 19th ult. Mrs. Nevels, wife of Littleberry Nevels died.
Died: In Huntsville, Ala. 12th ult. Miss Mary Fearn Coles in her 21st year.
- 11 Nov. 1851-Died: In Nashville on the 5th inst. at the residence of her father C.A. Breast, Sarah Jane Laird, consort of J.A. Laird aged 21 years.
- 25 Nov. 1851-Died: In Shelbyville on the 14th John E. Strickler aged 24 years.
- 9 Dec. 1851-Died: Near this place on the 6th inst. Mrs. Hannah, wife of John Burke.
- 16 Dec. 1851-Died: Mrs. Hannah C., consort of John Burke, died on the 6th. She was born in N.C. in 1816 and married in 1830. She left four children, 3 daughters and one son.
Madison Co., Ala. on 16th Col. Willis Routt aged about 50 years...farmer of Lincoln Co., Tenn.
- 20 Jan. 1852-Died: On 9th William Bonner, twin son of W.C. and Lucinda Solomon 1 year 11 months and 22 days old.
In this county on the 12th Jan. Mrs. Tursey Ann, wife of Henry Jacobs, aged about 27 years.
- 29 Jan. 1852-Died: In this county on the 16th Mrs. James H. Wright.
Died: In this county on the 26th Mrs. Dickey at advanced age.
- 5 Feb. 1852-Died: In this county on the 6th ult. Dr. Templeton Taylor aged about 70 years.
Died: In this county on the 30th Jan. Samuel Buchanon aged 73 years 10 months, 15 days.
Died: In this county on the 21st Jan. an infant child of Franklin Troop.
- 19 Feb. 1852-Died: Lucinda C. Soloman on the 5th Feb., wife of William C. Soloman of this county aged 29 years 10 months 11 days...daughter of Thomas Moore of Rutherford Co. and married Dec. 1842...left husband and five children, youngest an infant of 8 days. She lost a twin son on the 11th of Jan....attended Mulberry Baptist Church.

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PROSPERITY ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN REGISTER (Original located at the Historical Foundation at Montreat, N.C.)

"The first settlement of the ARP Church in LCT was in 1826. These came from Abbeville, Chester and Fairfield Cos., S.C. Among the early settlers were Drennans, Moores, McCallas, McMilliens, Raymonds, McFerrins, Gleghorns, Parkinsons, Pinkertons, Sheffields, Sloans, Stewarts, and Willeys; some of whose descendants are with us still, some of these families settled ten miles south of Fayetteville and some about six miles West of Fayetteville. The former forming the organization of Prosperity and the latter, that of Bethel." (This history of the Church was read by Dr. M.T. Ellis before the Tennessee and Alabama Presbytery at Prosperity April 25, 1937. It was not taken from the above mentioned register.jw)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>BAPT.</u>	<u>PARENTS</u>	<u>INFANT</u>
17 May 1828		Alexander Wiley	Lewis Bryson
29 June 1828		John and Polly Moore	Robert and James
		Hugh and Jennet G. Parkerson	James
		Esther Jones	Samuel
10 Aug. 1828		Franklin & Jennet Raymond	Mary Elvira
21 Sept. 1828		Robert G. & Elizabeth McCann	William Lyle
29 Mar. 1829		James & Margia Stewart	Elizabeth Jane
		Esther Jones	John Hamilton
12 Apr. 1829		Matthew & Martha Gleghorn	Elizabeth
25 Apr. 1829		John & Sarah Pinkerton	Thomas, Andrew, Rebecca and Sarah
17 May 1829		Robert & Martha Drennan	Louvina Elvira
		Saml & Mary Gleghorn	Elizabeth Brown
7 June 1829		Brown & Mary Parkerson	Martha
15 Aug. 1829		William & Elizabeth Caughran	Manson Hamilton
8 Nov. 1829		James & Jane Wiley	Luther Hamden
13 Mar. 1830		Robert G. & Elizabeth McCann	David Gleghorn
8 Nov. 1829		John & Mary Moore	William Garner
13 Mar. 1830		Andrew & Rebecca Gleghorn	Wiley
28 Mar. 1830		Alexander & Margaret Wiley	Milton Hamilton
		John & Jennet Smith	Hugh <u>eed</u>
11 Apr. 1830		William G. Spence	Martha Elizabeth
		Saml & Rebecca Coleman	Mary Ann
18 July 1830		Hugh & Jennet Parkerson	Katherine Margaret
8 Aug. 1830		John & Mary McCullough	Samuel Penny)
			James Wilson)
			Eli Kelly)
4 Sept. 1830		Cornelius & Jane Galaspie	Margaret Rebecca
2 Jan. 1831		Franklin & Jennet Raymond	William Sullivan
30 Apr. 1831		Cornelius & Jane Galaspie	Hariat Catharine
29 May 1831		James & Nancy Pinkerton	John Calvin
14 Aug. 1831		James & Nancy Gleghorn	James Johnston
3 Sept. 1831		Brown & Polly Parkerson	(no entry.jw)
		Agness Kelly (2)	Agness Matilda & Elizabeth Ann
1 Apr. 1832		William G. & Fanny Spence	Nancy Means
22 Apr. 1832		Robert & Martha Drennen	Calvin Washington
		William & Ann Hicklin	John
		James & Mary Sloan	Alfred Franklin
10 June 1832		George R. & Mary Foster	John Stewart
13 Jan. 1833		Hugh & Jennet G. Parkerson	William Moore
10 Feb. 1833		James & Nancy Pinkerton	Samuel Sloan

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BALL FORK BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST (From microfilm of original in the Baptist Historical Commission, Nashville, Tennessee.)

"John J. Whitaker this book be used for the Baptist Church Cold Forks of the Lincoln County Tennessee of Mulberry _____ of Robert Dickson July 25 1817" (The film is entitled Ball Fork, but the book reads Cold Forks.jw)

3rd Saturday Jan. 1818

Church met agreeable to appointment and after divine service proceed to business. Bro. Wm. Berry restored to fellowship by the acknowledgement. Bro. Hodges appointed to visit at Bro. Wm. Whitaker to invite him to attend meetings. Bro. Joseph Williamson and Joseph Whitaker to request Bro. Burns to attend meetings. Dismissed in order

John J. Whitaker C Clk

Third Saturday February 1818

Church met agreeable to appoint and after meeting being opened by singing and pray the church proceed to business Bro Mark Whitaker & wife dismissed by letter Dismissed in order John J. Whitaker on Sunday application being made for letter of dismissal by for Hannah Hayes and Villet servant of George Walton. They were granted.

Third Saturday Mar Owing to bad weather no meeting in March

Third Sat in April 1818

Church met agreeable to appointment and after singing and prayer Inquiry being made for fellowship the church appears to be at peace and as no business came before them they were dismissed in order

July 1840 Dismissed Zeak and Lucy on third Sat in July 1840 AD

3rd Sat May 1818

Church met agreeable to appointment and after divine service inquiry being made for Fellowship athe church appears to be at peace Agreed that June meeting be a communion service adjourned to meeting in course John J Whitaker

William Whitaker & wife dismissed by letter
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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF FAYETTEVILLE (From a typed copy of the original by Mrs. John G. Young located in Fayetteville Library.)

"The Church of Fayetteville in the County Lincoln and State of Tennessee was organized in the Fall of 1812 by the Rev'd. John Gillespie. In 1820 Mr. John R. Bain a Licentate from the Abington Presbytery took supply, Fayetteville Church two years. In 1822 Mr. James McLin a licentate from Abington Presbytery took charge of the Church and was ordained in October 1824."

DEATHS

Book 1

- page 1 David Turner (Ordained Elder) died 1817
3 John Todd, ordained Elder 1817, died Feb. 13, 1829
3 Ezekiel Norris died Aug. 17, 1828
4 Mrs. Norris died Nov. 16, 1827
4 Esher Kenedy
4 Mary S. Gilliland died July 12, 1833
4 Joel Johnston died Feb. 1833
45 Calvin Gilland Bradshaw, infant son of Rev. Amai Bradshaw died Oct. 4, 1833
47 Susan Todd died April 21, 1834
51 George Cunningham died Mch. 5, 1836
55 Mrs. Kyle departed this life Feb. 13, 1837
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BIBLE RECORDS

Bible of William Jackson Smith and Sarah (Jones) Smith
In possession of Jane Warren Waller, Horseshoe Drive, Batavia, Ill.
New York: American Bible Society 1875

BIRTHS

W(illiam) J(ackson) Smith May 14th 1839
Sarah Smith 16 January 1842
M(artha) J(ane) Smith November 30, 1858
R(obert) P(leasant) Smith May 18, 1861
M(ary) B(elle) Smith December 21, 1865
W(illiam) I. Smith November 27, 1863
J(eannetta) V(ashti) Smith February 15, 1868
J(ohn) F(elix) Smith November 7, 1871
Donie Smith (wife of J.F. Smith)
27 November 1877

DEATHS

August 28, 1923
January 3, 1897
1911
September 3, 1922
1940
27 July 1948
21 October 1940

Original writing recorded by William J. Smith; that in parenthesis added to original by Ora Belle Smith Warren, granddaughter of William J. Smith. The following marriages are all recorded in the Marriage records of Lincoln Co., Tenn. and entered into the Bible by the present owner.

Martha Jane Smith & Harvey C. Martin 10 November 1875
Robert Pleasant Smith & Nancy Jane Hunter 17 December 1879
Robert Pleasant Smith & Alma Elizabeth Hutchinson 16 December 1916
William I. Smith & Frances E. Spray 26 November 1885
Mary Belle Smith & John J. Beard 6 November 1880
Jeannetta Vashti Smith & Daniel A. Moyers 28 December 1882
John Felix Smith & Martha Caldonia Daniel 9 November 1892

Pioneers of Lincoln County, Tennessee, by John M. Bright

A series of articles published in the Fayetteville Observer.
February 1, 1907

Micajah Stone settled at the headwaters of Norris Creek in the year 1816. He was a prosperous farmer, a man of strong, natural endowments; he brought up a large and highly-respected family. His son, George W. Stone, received his higher education at the classical school of Bedford County. He read law with Col. James Fulton, then at the head of the Fayetteville Bar. He married Miss Mary Gillespie at the home of James Bright. She was the daughter of George Gillespie, of Williamson County and a sister of Jacob Gillespie of Lincoln County. George W. Stone moved to Alabama in the early 30's and practiced law with great success and was promoted to the Supreme Bench of Alabama.....L.L. Stone, another son of Micajah Stone, was a man of strong common sense.....James D. Stone

a son of L.L. Stone, inherited his father's energy, and is now owner of the commodious family mansion on the Shelbyville Pike, about five miles from Fayetteville. He was a brave Confederate soldier...L.L. Stone has one daughter now living, Mrs. Clay Higgins, an estimable lady, now living on a part of the paternal estate. Micajah Stone left several other sons, but we can speak of them only in a group...he, also, left several daughters, one of whom married John Landis, a citizen of sterling qualities, a farmer, he started a tannery and tanned all the hides for the settlers...He reared a large and much respected family. His sons rank among the best citizens. One of his daughters married Col. D.W. Holman a prominent member of the Fayetteville Bar and President of a Fayetteville bank. He was a gallant Confederate soldier...Two of Mrs. Holman's sons are rising members of the Fayetteville Bar; one has recently been sent to represent Lincoln County in the Legislature; one a prosperous merchant. John Landis had three other daughters: Mrs. Bobo, Mrs. John T. Goodrich and Mrs. Stokes all highly estimable women. Mr. Stokes represented one of the districts of S.C. in Congress.

Coming down the Creek and calling the roll of honor, we find the names of John Rees, James Cole, Talifero, Dollins, Joel Dollins Sr., Alexander Sevier (said to be a brother of John Sevier), Cooper and Reuben Washburn, who settled on the Creek in 1810 or 1811, and helped to slay the timber and cut the cane.

A few years later, settled further down the creek we find William Edmondson, John Davis, Elijah Davis, Sherrod Hunter, _____ Sharp, John Essleman, William Husbands, John Rhea, James Bright and Ezekiel Norris. The last two settling in 1806...

John Rees was a man of strong character, great energy, a worthy man. He brought up his family to imitate his example. One of his sons, Joel Rees, was elected to the Legislature of Tenn. He afterwards moved to Mississippi, where we have lost trace of him.

The names of Small, Dollins, Cole, Moore and McKenzie are familiar as household words, all honest, thrifty and prosperous citizens and their posterity have inherited their many virtues.

Reuben Washburn settled in a cove with fertile slopes, yielding a liberal reward for agricultural labor. He was, also, a carpenter and contributed largely in building the primitive residences in the valley. He had several sons...."Uncle Reuben" as he was called was quite interesting....His son John Washburn was an enterprising citizen and had a ready wit. During the Civil War he had a distillery at the head of the creek, and a large supply of whiskey on hand when both Federal and Confederate armies marched by, and he sold out at war prices. He said afterwards that it was the first time "it rained pudding when his dish was right side up."

February 23, 1907

Coming on down the creek we meet with a notable man...in person somewhat above the average size, heavy-set and muscular, with keen, blue eyes, with a face somewhat Jacksonian. This was Capt. James Higgins, a patriot and soldier. He commanded a company under Gen. Jackson, in the Creek War, fought bravely in his battles and should share in his glory. He was an industrious and prosperous farmer, and a respected, exemplary citizen. He left several sons, one of whom was Owen Higgins Sr. who was a farmer and occasionally worked as a brick mason....He left surviving him several children, one of whom was the late George W. Higgins.

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QUERIES

1- Mrs. Wayne Warnes, RFD, Villa Grove, Illinois, 61956

John Jones, Rev. Sold, b. 1752 Wales, served 8th Va. Reg't under Capt. Thomas Berry. He m. Leah Carter in Bedford Co., Tenn. 1809. Their children: 1- Clarissa b. 1810 m. Benjamin Jeffries 1841; 2- John Lewis b. 1811 m. 2nd Mary Boyd 1857 LCT d. ca 1862 Izzard Co., Ark.; 3-Reuben Anderson b. 1813 m. Phoebe Roe Gray in Limestone Co., Ala. 1838 d. Tex.; 4- Hettie b. 1815 m. Mr. Ables d. Feb. 1851 in tornado that hit Fayetteville; 5- Nancy b. 1819 m. John McKinney 6-Edmond Calvin b. 1823 m. Mary L. Demaster in 1856; 7- Newton b. 1820 8-Thomas H. b. 1821 (He left Will in LCT in Nov. 1846) 9-Julia A.F. b. 1830 m. Joseph Walwork in 1869. Would like to know anything about this family. Who was John Lewis Jones' first wife? John Lewis Jones had a son Robert C. who m. Cordelia Martin. Who are his descendants? Where did Leah Carter come from in Va.? Who were her parents?

2- Mrs. Burton Clark, P.O. Box 276, Winooski, Vermont

Benjamin Oliver b. prob. in Charlotte Co., Va. 1788 m. Rebecca Mason, dau. of Charles Mason, 1805 in Charlotte Co., Va. They had: 1- Mildred b. 1806 m. Joseph Torrence d. Fulton Co., Ark. 2- Elizabeth b. ca 1807 m. Campbell Jefferson in Campbell Co., Va. They were divorced in LCT and she married 2nd Andrew Jackson Smith 3- Pleasant b. 1810 m. Lucinda Smith in LCT d. Fulton Co., Ark. 4-William m. Caroline Jewel 5- Sarah b. ca 1818 m. Argyle Wells d. LCT 6-Jeannetta P. b. ca 1820 m. Isom Hosea Smith (brother of Andrew Jackson Smith) d. 1900 LCT 7-Charles Benjamin b. 1825 m. Esther McWhorter d. Fulton Co., Ark. Benjamin Oliver lived in Charlotte Co., Va. until 1813 when he moved to Halifax Co., Va. then 1819 he moved to Campbell Co., Va. In 1831 he moved to LCT. Rebecca died between 1840-1847 when Benjamin married 2nd Elizabeth Eaks, widow of Simpson Eaks. Who were the parents of Benjamin Oliver and Charles Mason? Would like to correspond with any of the descendants.

3- Mrs. G.F. Waller, Horseshoe Drive, Batavia, Illinois 60510

Isaac Smith died in LCT in 1831. His estate settlement named his children: 1- Josiah 2- Isaac 3-John 4-Elizabeth, wife of Isaac Harlan 5- Sarah, wife of James Lingo 6-Nancy, dec'd, wife of Hamilton Moffett 7-Lucinda, dec'd, wife of William Moffett 8- Lee. The Harlans, Lingos, Moffetts moved to Randolph Co., Mo. ca 1840. Lee Smith moved to Ellis Co., Tex. ca 1857. Would like to write to any of the descendants. What happened to the other children? I am especially interested in the John.

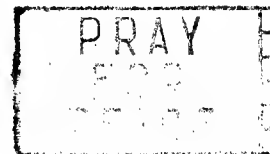
4- Robert Drennan was b. 1799 in Long Cane, Abbeville Dist., S.C.
He m. Martha H. Wiley. Their Children: 1- Mary C. b. S.C. 1824 d. 1838 single 2-John Hamilton b. 1827 m. Mary Eliza Yeager, dau. of Augustine Yeager 1849 LCT d. 1860 LCT 3-Louvina Elvira b. 1829 LCT m. 1-William Caughran 2-Joseph McCowan d. 1907 LCT 4-Calvin Washington b. 1831 m. America Abbott 1853 LCT d. 1881 5- James Jefferson Columbus b. 1842 m. Frances Jane Dale 1868 LCT d. 1880. Family tradition is that Robert Drennan was a nephew of Elizabeth (Drennan) Stewart of LCT. I would like documented proof of this relation.

This first issue of the Lincoln County, Tennessee, Pioneers is the result of many years of research and interest in that county, also the interest that has been shown by the hundreds of queries that I have received in the years past. The idea of this quarterly will be to share useful information concerning "The volunteer county of the volunteer state"-Lincoln County, Tennessee. Data pertaining to Lincoln County: Bible records, Family Histories, Military records, old letters and anything of a genealogical aid will be welcomed for publication.

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